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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

APPLICANT: Takayuki OHKUBO et al. )  
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THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
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**REQUEST FOR THREE MONTH EXTENSION**

Sir:

With reference to the Office Action dated June 16, 2005, Applicants respectfully request a three-month extension of the response term, from the present term of September 16, 2005, up to a new term of December 16, 2005. The Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 12-0400 in the amount of \$1,020 to cover the fee for this three-month extension, or for any required fees in excess of the amount submitted, or credit any overpayment.

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Respectfully submitted,

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